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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

ON THE COVER PAGE

At Item (57), Abstract, line 5, "corresponding" should read --corresponding to--.

COLUMN 1

Line 20, "the" should read --a--.

Line 54, "the" (second occurrence) should read --an--.

COLUMN 2

Line 3, "the" should read --an--.

Line 41, "corresponding" should read --corresponding to--.

Line 50, "corresponding" should read --corresponding to--.

COLUMN 4

Line 14, "the" (second occurrence) should be deleted.

Line 29, "the" should read --an--.

Line 48, "the" should read --a--.

COLUMN 6

Line 3, "the" should read --a--.

Line 6, "the" (first occurrence) should be deleted.

COLUMN 7

Line 42, "the" (second occurrence) should read --a--.

COLUMN 9

Line 3, "the" (first occurrence) should read --an--.

Line 30, "the" should read --a--.

COLUMN 11

Line 10, "the" (second occurrence) should be deleted.

Line 15, "the" should read --an--.

Line 37, "the" (first occurrence) should read --an--.

COLUMN 13

Line 4, "the" should read --an--.

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COLUMN 14

Line 27, "the" (second occurrence) should be deleted.  
Line 32, "the" should read --an--.  
Line 47, "the" (first occurrence) should read --a--.  
Line 49, "such" should read --such for--.

COLUMN 15

Line 4, "the" should read --an--.  
Line 18, "copy prohibition" should read --copy-prohibited--.  
Line 34, "judgement" should read --judgment--.  
Line 44, "judgement" should read --judgment--.  
Line 55, "judgement" should read --judgment--.

COLUMN 16

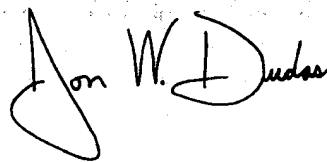
Line 20, "judgement" should read --judgment--.  
Line 30, "are" should read --area--.  
Line 37, "judgement" should read --judgment--.  
Line 51, "judgement" should read --judgment--.

COLUMN 17

Line 26, "judgement" should read --judgment--.

Signed and Sealed this

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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jon W. Dudas". The signature is stylized with a large, looping initial "J" and a distinct "D".

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